

V-B-1. PRODUCER EXPERIENCES

INTRODUCTION

This section is used to record experiences gathered from producers and other landusers about the effects of using conservation practices and conservation systems. Has soil erosion been reduced? Have yields increased or stopped decreasing? Did minimum tillage fit into annual farm operations? The answers given by producers to these types of questions are placed here.

Case studies are the recommended format for collecting this information. Case studies compare producer experiences with “before adoption” and “after adoption” effects. Information contained in the case study should assist other growers make a decision whether or not to adopt a conservation recommendation.